

## OUR HISTORY:

The **Child Care Advocate Program (CCAP)** promotes the delivery of quality child care in California. In 1984, the State Legislature created the CCAP to provide a link between child care licensing and the community.



## OUR MISSION:

The **Child Care Advocate Program** seeks to promote the delivery of quality child care in California through communication, knowledge and advocacy.

The **CCAP** tailors its activities to fit the needs of the local community. A **Child Care Advocate** is assigned to each Child Care Licensing office to provide information to parents, child care providers, employers, educators and community groups.

The Child Care Advocate participates in many community activities and special projects in order to:

- ★ Disseminate information on the state's licensing role.
- ★ Provide information to the public and parents on child care licensing.
- ★ Act as a liaison to child care resource and referral agencies.
- ★ Serve as a liaison to local government, business, labor, law enforcement, education and child care providers.
- ★ Assist county government and community agencies in capacity building and quality improvement efforts to ensure the availability of quality child care.
- ★ Seek to mediate disputes between the Department and Child Care Licensees.
- ★ Assist in the coordination of complaints and concerns on behalf of children in child care.



## HOW CAN WE HELP?



If you have concerns or need information about licensing of Family Child Care Homes or Child Care Centers in California, you may contact your Advocate at:

Sacramento District Office  
8745 Folsom Blvd., Ste. 200  
Sacramento, CA 95826  
Counties: Amador, Calaveras, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Tuolumne, Yolo  
**(916) 229-4530**

Chico District Office  
520 Cohasset Road, Suite 6  
Chico, CA 95926  
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**(530) 895-5033**

Orange County District Office  
750 The City Drive, Ste. 250  
Orange, CA 92668  
Counties: Orange  
**(714) 703-2800**

Mission Valley District Office  
7575 Metropolitan Drive, Ste. 110  
San Diego, CA 92108  
Counties: San Diego, Imperial  
**(619) 767-2200**

Bay Area District Office  
1515 Clay St. #1102  
Oakland, CA 94612  
Counties: Alameda, Contra Costa  
**(510) 622-2602**

Central Coast Area District Office  
360 S. Hope Ave., Ste. C-105  
Santa Barbara, CA 93105  
Counties: San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura  
**(805) 682-7647**

San Geronio District Office  
3737 Main St., Ste. 700  
Riverside, CA 92501  
Counties: Riverside, San Bernardino  
**(909) 782-4200**

L.A. East District Office  
1000 Corporate Ctr. Dr., Ste. 200B  
Monterey Park, CA 91754  
Counties: Los Angeles  
**(323) 981-3350**

Fresno District Office  
770 E. Shaw Ave., Ste. 330  
Fresno, CA 93710  
Counties: Alpine, Fresno, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Mono, Tulare  
**(559) 445-5691**

L.A. Northwest District Office  
6167 Bristol Parkway, Suite 400  
Culver City, CA 90230  
Counties: Los Angeles  
**(310) 337-4333**

Redwood Empire District Office  
101 Golf Course Dr., Ste. A-230  
Rohnert Park, CA 94928  
Counties: Lake, Marin, Mendocino, Napa, Solano, Sonoma  
**(707) 588-5026**

San Jose District Office  
111 North Market St., Ste. 300  
San Jose, CA 95113  
Counties: Monterey, San Benito, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz  
**(408) 277-1289**

Peninsula District Office  
801 Traeger Ave., Ste. 100  
San Bruno, CA 94066  
Counties: San Francisco, San Mateo  
**(650) 266-8843**

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